



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Kazumasa MAKINO

Application No.: 10/811,975

Filed: March 30, 2004

Docket No.: 119306

For: IMAGE FORMING UNIT AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS HAVING THE  
SAME (AS AMENDED)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification;**

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**